

THE WHIPPING-POST AGAIN.

Bob Takes up the Cudgel in Behalf of Dobbs—He presents a Pastoral and Fendish Attack Upon his Good Name, and Wants to Bring our Correspondent to Justice.

Delaware appears to be thoroughly aroused at last. We give in full, verbatim, another communication which has been elicited by the letter of our New Castle correspondent, published on Monday last, descriptive of the great dogging scene in the jail yard which transpired on the previous Saturday.

New Castle, May 20th, '69.

My attention has been called to an article in your Paper of May 17th, in which the writer after abusing our State, our town, our Judges, Juries &c makes a most dastardly & fendish attack upon my good name, here, where I have lived 35 years the only effect has been to produce a feeling of intense indignation, but I have a large circle of relations & friends in all parts of the country, (and a respectable paper like yours, no doubt reaches almost every locality in the U.S.) what their different feelings may be is not for me to say, but what I have to request, is that you will send me immediately the name & address of your venacious correspondent, so that proper steps may be taken to bring the slandering to Justice.

I Am Very Respectfully Wm. H. Dobb

On turning this epistle over to our correspondent, we are presented with the following response:—

PHILADELPHIA, May 21, 1869.

My Dear Sir—I must respectfully, yet firmly, decline to furnish you with my name and address.

"Justice," according to the fashion in which it is meted out in the virtuous State of Delaware, is of such a peculiar character, that I am not at all anxious to subject myself to the ordeal. On persona grounds, I would much prefer to fall into the clutches of Fisk, Jr., and be locked up over night in Ludlow Street Jail, with a million dollar libel suit hanging over my pocket, than to stand before a New Castle jury and run the risk of a conviction of slander which would doubtless consign me to the pillory for an hour or so, and the infliction of thirty odd lashes upon my bare back, to say nothing of three or four years' residence in the jail and the ornamentation of a convict's jacket for six months or more after my release. No, Mr. Dobb, your Delaware "justice" is altogether too severe to be palatable, even to conscious innocence, and the invitation conveyed in your very polite note of yesterday is therefore "declined," with thanks.

But really, Mr. Dobb, cannot you close without expressing my intense surprise at the mere fact of your existence, and my still greater astonishment that such a model citizen of Delaware by the name of Dobb should have confused himself with the exuberant and entirely imaginary Dobbs. This confusion is quite inexplicable and unaccountable to me, inasmuch as I am not aware that you have ever been known by the name of James G. Dobbs, Sr. The exuberant individual whom I selected as a counterpart for "the Democratic nigger" was known to me by name, but for the reasons stated in THE EVENING TELEGRAPH of yesterday, I thought it best to suppress his true cognomen. If this were to be done, why should I not have styled him Dobb? I was not aware that there was residing in New Castle a man by the name of Dobbs, and your letter still permits me to indulge in that belief. Suppose I had styled him Smith, or Brown, or Jones, or Tompkins, or any other name which, by its extreme ordinariness, has become a public property to be played upon at will or whim, what would have been the result? Don't, I pray you, attempt to enroach upon the copyrighted role of Fisk, Jr., for you will surely come to grief if you should attempt it.

In conclusion, permit me to subscribe myself, with expressions of the highest consideration and regard, simply Your obedient servant, WASHENAW.

MUSICAL AND DRAMATIC.

The City Amusements. AT THE ACADEMY OF MUSIC Mrs. Bernard will have a farewell benefit this evening, when Verdi's opera of La Traviata will be presented. The career of the rich troupe will be closed in the history of operatic music in this city. The success of the present organization was due almost entirely to the wonderful energy and untiring industry of Mrs. Bernard, and at the close of the last season of her very effective combination her services ought to receive a suitable recognition at the hands of the public of Philadelphia. We hope that a crowded audience will be in attendance this evening.

To-morrow afternoon Mariana will be given as a farewell performance. AT THE ACADEMY OF MUSIC the fair will have a benefit this evening, when he will appear as "Upton Spout" in "The Pretty Horsebreaker," as "Spartacus" in a burlesque on "The Borgia," as "The Duke" in "The Duke of Burgundy," and as "The Duke of Burgundy" in "The Duke of Burgundy."

AT THE WALNUT Mrs. Rose Watkins will have a benefit this evening, and will appear in the romantic Irish drama of Kathleen Mavourneen and the farce of It Takes Two to Quarrel.

On Monday Mr. E. L. Davenport will appear in the drama of St. Martin's, or the History of Fortune.

AT THE CHESTNUT Miss Elise Holt will have a benefit this evening. The performance will commence with a farce entitled "The History of Fortune," which will be followed by "The Duke of Burgundy," and conclude with the burlesque of "Lucretia Borgia." A matinee to-morrow.

AT THE THEATRE COMIQUE Mr. Thomas Whiffin will have a benefit this evening, when he and Miss Susan Galton will appear in "Ching-Choo-Hi" and "Janette's Wedding." Madie Sohke will give two of her favorite dances. This is the last appearance of this graceful danseuse in America. Mr. Whiffin is an excellent comedian, and has done much to sustain Miss Galton and to make the Theatre Comique popular. We hope that his benefit will be a brilliant success.

There will be no matinee to-morrow in consequence of the dress rehearsal of the new piece entitled "The Duke of Burgundy," which will be performed on Monday. This is an adaptation of Madame George Sant's story, set to music selected from the most popular operas, and will be performed in a remarkably effective manner. In the shadow scene the celebrated artist from Dinorah will be introduced.

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Professor JAMES MCCLINTOCK, M. D., will deliver the fourth lecture of his course on Anatomy and Physiology this evening, at Concert Hall. Subject, "Organs of Digestion."

THE BELL will give a grand concert on Monday evening at the Academy of Music, assisted by Miss S. V. Barton, Mr. William Macdonald, Mr. Benjamin Owen, and Mr. Theodore Martens. This will be the first appearance in this city. The sale of seats commences to-day at Gould's, No. 923 Chestnut street, and the Academy of Music.

THE COMPLEMENTARY BENEFIT to Mrs. F. Morford, which will be given on Saturday, May 21, at the Academy of Music, promises to be a grand affair. The rich Street Theatre, on Monday and other artists will appear, and a first-rate programme will be presented.

MR. FRANCES ANNE KEYSEL will read Shakespeare's comedy of "You Like It" on Wednesday evening next, at the Academy of Music, for the benefit of the Mercantile Library Company. Seats can be secured at Truitt's, No. 100 Chestnut street.

A TRAVELER IN GERMANY.—We understand that the people of Germantown intend erecting a building suitable for first-class dramatic and musical representations, and those interested will meet at the office of C. Keyser King, next door to the depot, on Tuesday evening next, at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of conferring the matter. It is an undertaking worthy of the best co-operation of the citizens of the Twenty-second ward, and we wonder that such an impudent has not been accomplished years ago.

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DEAD.
BEARDSLEE.—On the 19th instant, SARAH A., wife of Amos and Elizabeth Beardslee, aged 21 years. The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of her father, Passyunk road, below Philadelphia Cemetery, on Sunday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. To be interred in the cemetery.

CLAYVE.—On the 19th instant, JOHN CLAYVE, in the 56th year of his age. The relatives and friends of the family, also the members of the Lodge, No. 115, I. O. of F., and the Southwark Engine Fire Company, are respectfully invited to attend his funeral, from the late residence, No. 115, Southwark street, on Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. To proceed to Union Cemetery Vault for interment.

DAVIS.—On the 19th instant, ALBERT LEWIS, son of John H. and the late Harriet Davis, in the 23rd year of his age. The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend his funeral, from the residence of his father, No. 355 N. Twentieth street, on Saturday at 3 o'clock. To proceed to Catholic Church.

GALLAGHER.—On the 20th instant, PATRICK, son of James and Rose Gallagher, aged 21 years. The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, No. 1422 Jessamine street (east of Fifteenth, below Christian), on Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock, without further notice. To proceed to Catholic Church.

HORTON.—On the 17th instant, Miss FANNIE, eldest daughter of John and Rebecca Horton, aged 21 years. The relatives and friends of the family, also the members of the Hancock M. E. Church, are respectfully invited to attend her funeral, from her parents' residence, No. 225 East Thirteenth street, on Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Services at the Hancock M. E. Church, thence to the Hanover Street Burial Yard.

HUHN.—On the 19th instant, Mrs. CATHERINE HUHN, aged 85 years. The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of her son, John H. Huhn, No. 82 S. Eleventh street, on Saturday afternoon, the 23d instant, at 4 o'clock.

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SMITH.—On the morning of the 20th instant, after a lingering illness, SARAH LOUISA, wife of J. L. Smith, and daughter of the late Jeremiah Van Brunt, in the 23d year of her age. The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from her late residence, No. 263 Franklin street, on Monday morning, the 23d instant, at 10 o'clock.

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